

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Barta et al.** § Group Art Unit: **2191**
Serial No.: **10/705,525** §
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For: **Pre-Deployment Component** § Confirmation No.: **5400**
Hosting Environment Analyzer § Attorney Docket No.: **RSW920030176US1**

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In response to the Final Office Action of October 15, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.